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SUBJ: EC WHEAT UMR'S FOR BOLIVIA, HONDURAS AND PERU

REF: (A) STATE 189044; (B) BRUSSELS 13758 NOTAL;
(C) BRUSSELS 13988 NOTAL; (D) BRUSSELS 13759 NOTAL

EC COMMISSION, THROUGH KEITH ARROWSMITH (DG-VI), HAS
REJECTED U.S. REQUEST (REF A) THAT EC'S WHEAT UMR'S FOR
BOLIVIA, HONDURAS AND PERU BE ALTERED.

2. CONTENT OF ARROWSMITH'S LETTER FOLLOWS:

"IN THE CASE OF BOLIVIA I WAS NOT PREVIOUSLY AWARE
THAT THE IWC HAD REVISED THE 1973/4 COMMERCIAL IMPORTS
FIGURE. THIS BEING SO HOWEVER THE CHANGE SUGGESTED WOULD
CERTAINLY HAVE BEEN ACCEPTABLE, AND HAS BEEN NOTED FOR
FUTURE REFERENCE. BUT AS BOLIVIA HAS ALREADY ACCEPTED
THE UMR FIGURE OF 195,000 T., IT IS NOT PROPOSED NOW TO
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MAKE ANY ALTERATION IN RESPECT OF THE PERIOD JULY 1, 1978
TO JUNE 30, 1979.

"WITH REGARD TO HONDURAS I AM NOT CLEAR WHY IT IS
CLAIMED THAT 50,326 T. AND 35,094 T. ARE THE CORRECT
FIGURES FOR THE YEARS 1974/5 AND 1975/6 RESPECTIVELY.
IN ANY EVENT A UMR OF 41,000 T. FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1,

1978 TO JUNE 30, 1979 HAS ALREADY BEEN NOTIFIED TO
HONDURAS AND IT IS NOT PROPOSED TO MAKE THE MINOR REDUC-
TION PROPOSED.

"IN THE CASE OF PERU THE PERIOD OF VALIDITY OF THE US
UMR LASTS UNTIL SEPTEMBER 30, 1978 (THE END OF FISCAL
YEAR 1978), WHEREAS THE PERIOD OF VALIDITY OF THE
COMMUNITY'S UMR OF 770,000 T. (WHICH IS ACCEPTABLE TO
PERU) CONTINUES UNTIL JUNE 30, 1979. IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES
IT IS NOT PROPOSED TO MAKE ANY CHANGE IN OUR FIGURE."
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